

wherein A is a substituent selected from partially unsaturated or unsaturated heterocyclcyl and partially unsaturated or unsaturated carbocyclic rings;

wherein R<sup>1</sup> is at least one substituent selected from heterocyclcyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl and aryl, wherein R<sup>1</sup> is optionally substituted at a substitutable position with one or more radicals selected from alkyl, haloalkyl, cyano, carboxyl, alkoxy carbonyl, hydroxyl, hydroxyalkyl, haloalkoxy, amino, alkylamino, arylamino, nitro, alkoxyalkyl, alkylsufinyl, halo, alkoxy and alkylthio;

wherein R<sup>2</sup> is methyl or amino; and

wherein R<sup>3</sup> is a radical selected from hydrido, halo, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, oxo, cyano, carboxyl, cyanoalkyl, heterocyclcyl, alkyloxy, alkylthio, alkylcarbonyl, cycloalkenyl, aralkyl, heterocyclcylalkyl, acyl, alkylthioalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxy carbonyl, arylcarbonyl, aralkylcarbonyl, aralkenyl, alkoxyalkyl, arylthioalkyl, aryloxyalkyl, aralkylthioalkyl, aralkoxyalkyl, alkoxyaralkoxyalkyl, alkoxy carbonylalkyl, aminocarbonyl, aminocarbonylalkyl, alkylaminocarbonyl, N-arylaminocarbonyl, N-alkyl-N-arylaminocarbonyl, alkylaminocarbonylalkyl, carboxyalkyl, alkylamino, N-arylamino, N-aralkylamino, N-alkyl-N-aralkylamino, N-alkyl-N-arylamino, aminoalkyl, alkylaminoalkyl, N-arylaminalkyl, N-aralkylaminalkyl, N-alkyl-N-aralkylaminalkyl, N-alkyl-N-arylaminalkyl, aryloxy, aralkoxy, arylthio, aralkylthio, alkylsufinyl, alkylsulfonyl, aminosulfonyl, alkylaminosulfonyl, N-arylaminosulfonyl, arylsulfonyl, N-alkyl-N-arylaminosulfonyl;

or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof.

Please replace Claim 3 with the following:

3. (once amended) The combination of Claim 2 wherein the leukotriene B<sub>4</sub> receptor antagonist is selected from Bayer Bay-x-1005 ((R)-α-Cyclopentyl-4-(2-quinolinylmethoxy) benzene acetic acid), Ciba-Geigy CGS-25019C (Benzamide, 4-[[5-[4-(aminoiminomethyl)phenoxy]pentyl]oxy]-3-methoxy-N,N-bis(1-methylethyl)-, (2Z)-2-butenedioate), ebselen (1,2-Benzisoselenazol-3(2H)-one, 2-phenyl), Leo Denmark ETH-615 (Benzoic acid, 4-[[[(3-fluorophenyl)methyl][4-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)phenyl]amino]methyl]), Lilly LY-293111 (Benzoic acid, 2-[3-[3-[(5-ethyl-4'-fluoro-2-hydroxy[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)oxy]propoxy]-2-propylphenoxy]), Ono ONO-4057 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 2-(4-carboxybutoxy)-6-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-hexenyl]oxy]), Terumo TMK-688 (Carbonic acid, 4-[5-[[2-[4-(diphenylmethoxy)-1-piperidinyl]ethyl]amino]-5-oxo-1,3-pentadienyl]-2-methoxyphenyl ethyl ester), Boehringer Ingleheim BI-RM-270 (2-Benzoxazoline, N-[(1S)-2-cyclohexyl-1-(2-pyridinyl)ethyl]-5-methyl), Lilly LY 213024 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 5-(3-carboxybenzoyl)-2-(decyloxy)), Lilly LY 264086 (9H-Xanthene-4-propanoic acid, 7-carboxy-3-(decyloxy)-9-oxo), Lilly LY 292728, Ono ONO LB457 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 2-(4-carboxybutoxy)-6-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-hexenyl]oxy]), Pfizer 105696, Perdue Frederick PF 10042 (Pyrrolidine, 1-[5-hydroxy-5-[8-(1-hydroxy-2-phenylethyl)-2-dibenzofuranyl]-1-oxopentyl]), Rhone-Poulenc Rorer RP 66153 (2-Thiopheneheptanoic acid, .alpha.,.alpha.-dimethyl-3-(3-phenylpropyl)), SmithKline Beecham SB-201146 (2-Propenoic acid, 3-[6-[[3-(aminophenyl)sulfinyl]methyl]-3-[[8-(4-methoxyphenyl)octyl]oxy]-2-pyridinyl]-, (2E)), SmithKline Beecham SB-201993 (Benzoic acid, 3-[[[[6-[(1E)-2-carboxyethenyl]-5-[[8-(4-methoxyphenyl)octyl]oxy]-2-pyridinyl]methyl]thio]methyl]), Searle SC-53228 (2H-1-Benzopyran-2-propanoic acid, 7-[3-[2-(cyclopropylmethyl)-3-methoxy-4-[(methylamino)carbonyl]phenoxy]propoxy]-3,4-dihydro-8-propyl-, (2S)), Sumitomo SM 15178 (.beta.-Alanine, N-[[6-[(4-acetyl-2-ethyl-5-hydroxyphenoxy)methyl]-2-pyridinyl]carbonyl]-N-ethyl),

American Home Products WAY 121006 ([1,1'-Biphenyl]-4-acetic acid, 2-fluoro-4'-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)), Bayer Bay-o-8276, calcitriol (9,10-Secocholesta-5,7,10(19)-triene-1,3,25-triol, (1.alpha.,3.beta.,5Z,7E)), Warner-Lambert CI-987 (2,4-Thiazolidinedione,5-[[3,5-bis(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-hydroxyphenyl]methylene]), Merck and Co. L-651392 (3H-Phenothiazin-3-one, 4-bromo-2,7-dimethoxy), Lilly LY 210073, Lilly LY 223982 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 5-(3-carboxybenzoyl)-2-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-hexenyl]oxy]), Lilly LY-233569 (2-Propenamide, N-hydroxy-N-methyl-3-[2-(methylthio)phenyl]), Lilly LY-255283 (Ethanone, 1-[5-ethyl-2-hydroxy-4-[[6-methyl-6-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)heptyl]oxy]phenyl]), Merck and Co. MK-591 (1H-Indole-2-propanoic acid, 1-[(4-chlorophenyl)methyl]-3-[(1,1-dimethylethyl)thio]-a,a-dimethyl-5-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)-, sodium salt), Merck and CO. MK-886 (1H-indole-2-propanoic acid, 1-[(4-chlorophenyl)methyl]-3-[(1,1-dimethylethyl)thio]-a,a-dimethyl-5-(1-methylethyl)), Ono ONO-LB-448, Purdue Frederick PF-5901 (Benzenemethanol, a-pentyl-3-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)), Rhone-Poulenc Rorer RG 14893 (2-Naphthalenecarboxylic acid, 4-[2-[methyl(2-phenylethyl)amino]-2-oxoethyl]-8-(phenylmethoxy)), Rhone-Poulenc Rorer RP 66364, Rhone-Poulenc Rorer RP 69698 (Pyridine, 2-[[5-methyl-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)hexyl]oxy]-4,6-diphenyl), Searle SC-41930 (2H-1-Benzopyran-2-carboxylic acid, 7-[3-(4-acetyl-3-methoxy-2-propylphenoxy)propoxy]-3,4-dihydro-8-propyl), Searle SC-50505, Searle SC-51146, SmithKline Beecham SK&F-104493 (5H-Pyrrolo[1,2-a]imidazole, 6,7-dihydro-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-3-(4-pyridinyl)), and Teinjin TEI-1338 (Benzoic acid, 2-[[4-[2-[2-(2-naphthalenyl)ethenyl]cyclopropyl]-1-oxobutyl]amino]-, methyl ester, [1R-[1.alpha.,2.beta.(E)]]).

**Please replace Claim 4 with the following:**

4. (once amended) The combination of Claim 3 wherein the leukotriene B<sub>4</sub> receptor antagonist is selected from Bayer Bay-x-1005 ((R)-a-Cyclopentyl-4-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)benzeneacetic acid), Ciba-Geigy CGS-25019C (Benzamide, 4-[[5-[4-(aminoiminomethyl)phenoxy]pentyl]oxy]-3-methoxy-N,N-bis(1-

methylethyl)-, (2Z)-2-butenedioate), ebselen (1,2--  
Benzisoselenazol-3(2H)-one, 2-phenyl), Leo Denmark ETH-615  
(Benzoic acid, 4-[[[(3-fluorophenyl)methyl][4-(2-  
quinolinylmethoxy)phenyl]amino]methyl]), Lilly LY-293111 (Benzoic  
acid, 2-[3-[3-[(5-ethyl-4'-fluoro-2-hydroxy[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-  
yl)oxy]propoxy]-2-propylphenoxy]), Ono ONO-4057 (Benzenepropanoic  
acid, 2-(4-carboxybutoxy)-6-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-  
hexenyl]oxy]), Terumo TMK-688 (Carbonic acid, 4-[5-[[2-[4-  
(diphenylmethoxy)-1-piperidinyl]ethyl]amino]-5-oxo-1,3-  
pentadienyl]-2-methoxyphenyl ethyl ester), Boehringer Ingleheim  
BI-RM-270 (2-Benzoxazoline, N-[(1S)-2-cyclohexyl-1-(2-  
pyridinyl)ethyl]-5-methyl), Lilly LY 213024 (Benzenepropanoic  
acid, 5-(3-carboxybenzoyl)-2-(decyloxy)), Lilly LY 264086 (9H-  
Xanthene-4-propanoic acid, 7-carboxy-3-(decyloxy)-9-oxo), Lilly  
LY 292728, Ono ONO LB457 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 2-(4-  
carboxybutoxy)-6-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-hexenyl]oxy]),  
Pfizer 105696, Perdue Frederick PF 10042 (Pyrrolidine, 1-[5-  
hydroxy-5-[8-(1-hydroxy-2-phenylethyl)-2-dibenzofuranyl]-1-  
oxopentyl]), Rhone-Poulenc Rorer RP 66153 (2-Thiopheneheptanoic  
acid, .alpha., .alpha.-dimethyl-3-(3-phenylpropyl)), SmithKline  
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aminophenyl)sulfinyl]methyl]-3-[[8-(4-methoxyphenyl)octyl]oxy]-  
2-pyridinyl]-, (2E)), SmithKline Beecham SB-201993 (Benzoic acid,  
3-[[[6-[(1E)-2-carboxyethenyl]-5-[[8-(4-  
methoxyphenyl)octyl]oxy]-2-pyridinyl]methyl]thio]methyl]), Searle  
SC-53228 (2H-1-Benzopyran-2-propanoic acid, 7-[3-[2-  
(cyclopropylmethyl)-3-methoxy-4-  
[(methylamino)carbonyl]phenoxy]propoxy]-3,4-dihydro-8-propyl-,  
(2S)), Sumitamo SM 15178 (.beta.-Alanine, N-[[6-[(4-acetyl-2-  
ethyl-5-hydroxyphenoxy)methyl]-2-pyridinyl]carbonyl]-N-ethyl),  
and American Home Products WAY 121006 ([1,1'-Biphenyl]-4-acetic  
acid, 2-fluoro-4'-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)).

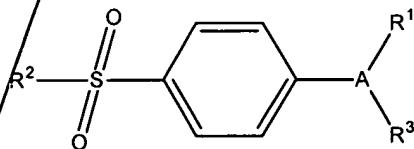
Please replace Claim 5 with the following:

5. (once amended) The combination of Claim 4 wherein the  
leukotriene B<sub>4</sub> receptor antagonist is selected from Bayer Bay-x-

1005 ((R)-a-Cyclopentyl-4-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)benzeneacetic acid), Ciba-Geigy CGS-25019C (Benzamide, 4-[[5-[4-(aminoiminomethyl)phenoxy]pentyl]oxy]-3-methoxy-N,N-bis(1-methylethyl)-, (2Z)-2-butenedioate), ebselen (1,2-Benzisoselenazol-3(2H)-one, 2-phenyl), Leo Denmark ETH-615 (Benzoic acid, 4-[[[(3-fluorophenyl)methyl][4-(2-quinolinylmethoxy)phenyl]amino]methyl]), Lilly LY-293111 (Benzoic acid, 2-[3-[3-[(5-ethyl-4'-fluoro-2-hydroxy[1,1'-biphenyl]-4-yl)oxy]propoxy]-2-propylphenoxy]), Ono ONO-4057 (Benzenepropanoic acid, 2-(4-carboxybutoxy)-6-[[[(5E)-6-(4-methoxyphenyl)-5-hexenyl]oxy]), and Terumo TMK-688 (Carbonic acid, 4-[5-[[2-[4-(diphenylmethoxy)-1-piperidinyl]ethyl]amino]-5-oxo-1,3-pentadienyl]-2-methoxyphenyl ethyl ester).

Please replace Claim 9 with the following:

9. (once amended) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically-acceptable carrier and a therapeutically-effective amount of a leukotriene B<sub>4</sub> receptor antagonist and a cyclooxygenase-2 inhibitor selected from Taisho NS-398 (Methanesulfonamide, N-[2-(cyclohexyloxy)-4-nitrophenyl]), meloxicam (2H-1,2-Benzothiazine-3-carboxamide, 4-hydroxy-2-methyl-N-(5-methyl-2-thiazolyl)-, 1,1-dioxide), flosulide (Methanesulfonamide, N-[6-(2,4-difluorophenoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1-oxo-1H-inden-5-yl]), Merck MK-966 (2(5H)-Furanone, 4-[4-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl]-3-phenyl), Merck L-752,860 and compounds of Formula I



wherein A is a substituent selected from partially unsaturated or unsaturated heterocyclyl and partially unsaturated or unsaturated carbocyclic rings;

wherein R<sup>1</sup> is at least one substituent selected from heterocyclyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl and aryl, wherein R<sup>1</sup> is optionally substituted at a substitutable position with one or

more radicals selected from alkyl, haloalkyl, cyano, carboxyl, alkoxy carbonyl, hydroxyl, hydroxyalkyl, haloalkoxy, amino, alkylamino, arylamino, nitro, alkoxyalkyl, alkylsufinyl, halo, alkoxy and alkylthio;

wherein R<sup>2</sup> is methyl or amino; and

wherein R<sup>3</sup> is a radical selected from hydrido, halo, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, oxo, cyano, carboxyl, cyanoalkyl, heterocycloxy, alkyloxy, alkylthio, alkylcarbonyl, cycloalkenyl, aralkyl, heterocyclylalkyl, acyl, alkylthioalkyl, hydroxyalkyl, alkoxy carbonyl, arylcarbonyl, aralkylcarbonyl, aralkenyl, alkoxyalkyl, arylthioalkyl, aryloxyalkyl, aralkylthioalkyl, aralkoxyalkyl, alkoxyaralkoxyalkyl, alkoxy carbonylalkyl, aminocarbonyl, aminocarbonylalkyl, alkylaminocarbonyl, N-arylaminocarbonyl, N-alkyl-N-arylaminocarbonyl, alkylaminocarbonylalkyl, carboxyalkyl, alkylamino, N-aryl amino, N-aralkyl amino, N-alkyl-N-aralkyl amino, N-alkyl-N-aryl amino, aminoalkyl, alkylaminoalkyl, N-aryl aminoalkyl, N-aralkyl aminoalkyl, N-alkyl-N-aralkyl aminoalkyl, N-alkyl-N-aryl aminoalkyl, aryloxy, aralkoxy, arylthio, aralkylthio, alkylsufinyl, alkylsulfonyl, aminosulfonyl, alkylaminosulfonyl, N-arylaminosulfonyl, arylsulfonyl, N-alkyl-N-arylaminosulfonyl;

or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof.

Please cancel claims 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23.